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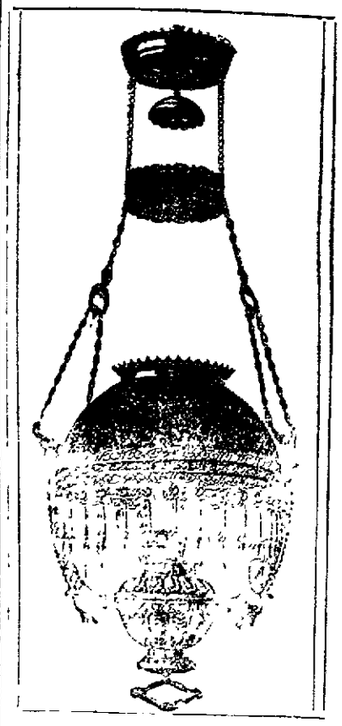

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Library Lamps at $4.00,
Former price, $8.00.

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ONE WEEK ONLY
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ANSTEAD'S.

DEACON HAYS HURT.

Knocked Down by a Carriage Team and Severely Bruised.

This forenoon Deacon Thomas Hays, of 426 North Broadway, had occasion to go to a grocery store in Commercial Block on East Eldorado street for a sack of corn meal and a jug of molasses. He made his purchase and started back with the sack of meal on one shoulder and the jug in one hand. He started to cross the street to reach his home by the short cut through the alley. Just then a street car was going by and Mr. Hays waited on the edge of the sidewalk for it to pass. Then he stepped into the street when he was knocked down by a team of horses attached to one of the Eppler hacks. The horses were going rapidly and the driver was apparently unable to avoid the accident. Mr. Hays was sent sprawling into the street, falling upon his face which was badly scratched. He was also hurt on the right shoulder and the left leg was sprained; but fortunately there were no fractures. The driver of the hack did not stop to make an inventory of the damage done, but drove ahead rapidly to the depot. A friend assisted Mr. Hays to his home, where he applied court plasters to his cuts and rubbed liniment on his bruises. Mr. Hays is in the 80th year of his age. He is up and around this afternoon, thankful that he didn't get under the feet of the horses and was not struck by the wheels of the vehicle.

Two Small Fires.

Sunday at 12:15 p. m. there was a fire in the Fruen & Honicker saloon on Morgan street, nearly opposite the No. 2 hose house. A still alarm brought the chemical to the saloon. The saloon has lately been supplied with new furniture. The new bar had been rubbed down with oil, and it is supposed that the fire was caused by spontaneous combustion. It started under the bar where the rags were thrown. The bar was ruined by the flames, the damage being over $50.

There was a small fire last evening at 7:30 o'clock at 1151 North Main street, in the dwelling occupied by a colored family named Montgomery. The family had gone to church and a live coal fell out of the stove, burning two holes in the floor setting fire to the carpet and bed and burning some clothing. The fire department quickly extinguished the fire. The loss is about $75.

Sent Home This Afternoon.

Muldoon's Picnic, which played at the Grand on last Saturday night, played at Taylorville on last Friday and while there some of the members of the troupe coaxed a little lad to go with them and drive the mule which they carry with them. He did so and when they got ready to leave Decatur Sunday afternoon they refused to take the boy with them. He cried piteously but they refused to take him, and left him here to hustle for himself last evening, and to-day he has been laying around the depot. Director Douglas took the lad in charge and sent him home on a freight. The lad gives his name as Charles Lockhart and says his brother is a coal miner at Taylorville.

Recovered His Overcoat.

On Friday last Thomas Rhoades had stolen from him a fine chinchilla overcoat while he was at a meeting of the Colored Athletic Club and he suspected a stranger, who also attended the meeting. He inveigled Detective Eukie Davidson into looking into the case. Davidson went to Springfield Sunday morning and found his man, causing his arrest. Word was sent to Marshall Lehman and that officer brought the thief from Springfield to-day and placed him behind the bars. He gives his name as J. Brown.

A Saturday Afternoon Party.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Chapman gave a birthday party Saturday afternoon from the hours of 3 to 4 o'clock in honor of their son Harry. Refreshments were served. Those present were Grover Conklin, Olga Funk, Walter Emmons, Ralph Hubert, Frank Noonan, Chester Woods, Harry Chapman, Ethel Hoyland, Aural Hoyland, Emma Noonan, Mertie Hatfield, Myrtle McGowan, Ottie Walmsley, Ada DeHart, Cora Auer, Grace Miller, Clara Walmsley, Goldie Bailer.

Death of an Infant.

Ivs Myrtle, infant daughter of John Stabler, died on Sunday afternoon at the home of her grandmother, 778 West Decatur street, of diphtheria. The funeral is in progress this afternoon from the residence. Only a short time ago Mrs. Stabler died and on February 23d, another child died. Mr. Stabler is grief stricken and has the deepest sympathy in his bereavement.

Deaths.

James M. Baily, the Danbury *News* man, and the author of a number of humorous books, died Sunday morning at Danbury, Conn., aged 53 years.

Ed. Williamson, the famous third baseman with the old Chicago base ball club, died Saturday night at Valley Springs, Arkansas.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
World's Fair Highest Award.

PROBABLY FATALLY HURT.

J. O. Stipes Knocked Down Sunday Night by a Wabash Freight.

Sunday night about 9 o'clock while J O. Stipes was walking west on the Wabash track going to his home on Railroad avenue, he was struck by the pilot beam of the engine of Wabash freight No. 94, and severely if not fatally injured. Stipes is a laboringman, and was in an intoxicated condition when hit by the train last night. The train crew discovered him walking towards them on the outside of the track, and just as the engine reached him he was seen to stagger towards the engine, the beam striking him and throwing him a number of feet. He was picked up by the crew and carried to his home, where Dr. James L. Bevans was called and dressed his injuries. Drs. Fithian and Hostetler, the Wabash surgeons, arrived at the scene shortly after the accident. The man is quite seriously injured, the right abdomen being punctured. The doctors report the man's condition as quite serious, and if peritonitis should set in death will be certain.

A GOOD WOMAN GONE.

Death of Mrs. L. Wilkinson at a Ripe Old Age—The Funeral.

Mrs. Lamira Wilkinson passed away in death Saturday afternoon at the home of her sister, Mrs. Sarah A. Ewing, 509 Forrest avenue. The deceased was the widowed sister of Orlando Powers, and of the late Samuel, George and Chauncey Powers.

The funeral will take place from the residence at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, March 6th.

A sketch of the noble life of Mrs. Wilkinson, who gave liberally of her wealth to worthy societies, will appear in the REPUBLICAN after the funeral.

Sales of Real Estate.

Albert G. Webber to Charles L. Herbert, D. and Lewis S. Colliby, lot 15 in A. G. Webbers addition of out lots to Decatur—$425.

Samuel E. Bear to Henry Landis, lots 4 and 5 in block 3 in Bearsdale—$870.

Henry A. Wood to Alonzo Disbrow, block 9 in Walnut Grove addition to Decatur—$2,100.

Rebecca E. Wheeler to Jas. A. Wheeler, quit claim deed to the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter, and 25 acres in the northwest quarter; all in 14, 16, 2 east—$1.

Charles H. Deetz to Ed. W. Rinehart, lot 6 in M. Marcott's addition to Decatur—$4,000.

A. Fleming to Gotlieb Reimer, south half of northwest quarter of 26, 15, 2 east—$6,200.

Amanda M. Harkrader to James A. Wheeler, quit claim deed to the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter and 23 acres off of the south side of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter, all in 14, 16, 3 east—$1.

Wm. D. Wheeler to James A. Wheeler, a half interest in the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter and 25 acres off of the south side of the southwest buarter of the northwest in 14, 16, 3 east—$2,300.

J. M. Brownback to stephen R. Shepherd, deed to 105 acres in 11, 14, 1 east—$5,775.

John A. Brown to John Chandler, deed to lots 7, 8, 10, 11 and 12, Summit Place—$1725

M. L. Vaughan to Mary J. Vaughan, quit claim to lots 1, 2 and 3, Wise's subdivision—$1.00.

Frederick Stern to H. I. Baldwin, deed to lot 10, block 3, M. F. Kanan's addition—$500.

H. I. Baldwin to Charles Stern, deed to lot 7, block 19, Carver's addition—$1,000.

Henry Albert to Eldorad Albert, deed to lots 10 and 12, block 8, Warrensburg $351.

Clara M. Ritchie to George C. Grove, deed to lot 8, block 2, Ritchie's addition to Warrensburg—$250.

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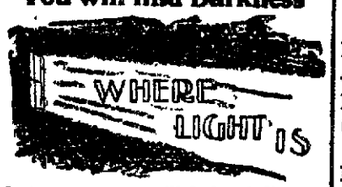
You will find Darkness



Just as soon as you will find such diseases as Fits, St. Vitus Dance, Epilepsy, Sleeplessness and Nervous Prostration thriving where strong, healthy nerves are; and just as darkness is driven out and the air sweetened and purified by the white light of the sun, so

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You don't need this if well and strong, but if weak and nervous, you do.

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Fancy Seersucker at 6¼c a yard worth 10c.
One case of Finest Seersuckers in Factory Remnants at 9c a yard.
Brocade Ginghams at 10c a yard.
One case of Fine Zephyr Ginghams at 12½c a yard.
Toile du Nord Ginghams, all styles manufactured.
Cotton Ducks, in choice colors, at 15c a yard.
Dress Linens, 27 inches wide, at 10c a yard.
Japonettee Wash Gingham at 25c a yard.
Fancy Satines, in Dress Patterns, at $1.50 each.
English Printed Broches and the largest line of Scotch and French Ginghams in the city.

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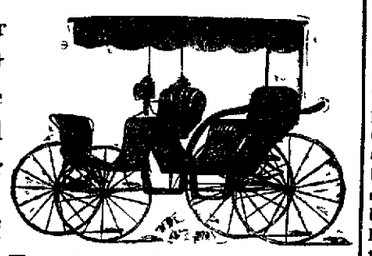

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We have a full line of SURRIES, PHÆTONS, Etc., in our Repository.

We also handle the best makes of FARM IMPLEMENTS to be found in the market.

THE SATTLEY SULKY AND GANG PLOWS,
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We will offer you inducements if you are in need of anything in our line.

We have also added a stock of HARDWARE, TINWARE, Etc., and will make a specialty of Furnace Heating, Roofing, Spouting, Etc. Please give us a call on this line.

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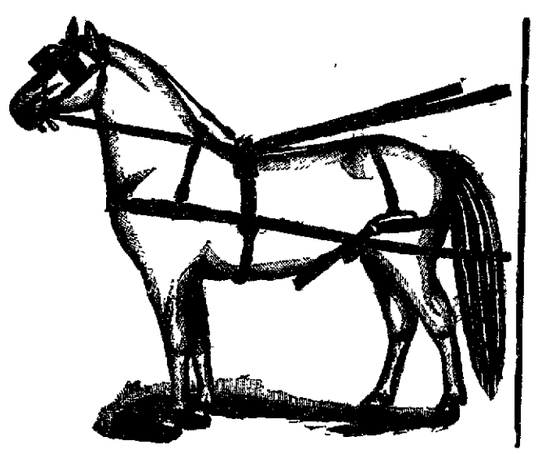

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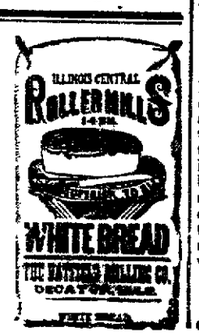

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MONDAY EVE., MARCH 5, 1894

THE retirement of Gladstone will probably result in recasting, to a considerable extent, the politics of Great Britain. The premier's last speech in the house of commons was an attack on the house of lords, which raises a new issue in English politics, or rather puts to the front an issue which has been held in abeyance. Before retiring, however, Mr. Gladstone decided upon a peer as his successor—Lord Rosebery. This at once, from an American point of view, compromises the Liberals, as it puts them in the position of opposition to the peerage with a peer as a leader. This is a condition that in the nature of things will handicap the Liberals, and in the end must result in trouble.

Grow Was Not Vindicated.

One of our Democratic papers undertakes to tell us that the great majority Galusha A. Grow got in Pennsylvania, was a greater vindication than ever Reed or McKinley got. This is probably intended to be funny or rather is an attempt to make the most of a very miserable wreck of the Democratic party in Pennsylvania. Galusha A. Grow was not out for a vindication, there was nothing in his life for which he needed a vindication. The people of Pennsylvania having made up their minds to vindicate the prosperity of 1892, selected Mr. Grow as the man through whom, by their ballots, they might express that vindication, and the disappointment they feel over the deplorable administration the party in power is giving the country. No, it was not the vindication of any person, it was the vindication of a great principle. The Democrats of Pennsylvania nominated, as their candidate against Grow, a descendant of John Hancock, and a man bearing the family name, and appealed to the people to vindicate the name of the signer of the Declaration of Independence, but who has heard of the modern Hancock who ran against Grow, since the election? He has not even been interviewed since the election. He stood for tariff reform—for the Wilson bill—and that was the millstone about his neck that has dragged him down into the sea of oblivion. The name of John Hancock could not save him. The same millstone has dragged the country down and will drag down thousands of other candidates before it is ground to powder.

The Republican party is not in the business of vindicating men. It vindicates measures. It does not discover men, as the Democratic party discovered Grover Cleveland, who are bigger than the party. The Republican party is a party of principles, and a party guided by principles is bigger than any man either in the party or out of it. No man rules the Republican party, and any man who attempts to usurp its functions is discarded as a leader, and for these reasons, it may also be said, the Republican party has no cuckoos.

A Plain Business Proposition.

The trip of Ex-President Harrison across the continent, and the speeches he has made upon the demands of the people assembled in many places along the route, emphasizes the monumental blunder the country made in defeating him and electing Cleveland in 1892. At one place in Colorado where he was urged to say a few words to the people he talked in the following simple and logical way about the logic of protection:

My friends, I am very much surprised, and, being human, I am very much gratified to see so many of you to-day and to feel that the passing through your city of a private citizen, whose occupation just now is that of a school teacher, should have excited so much interest as to have brought you out here to see me. Several of these gentlemen who came upon the car have suggested themes for a speech. I think they all agree that I ought to talk about the tariff. That is a very troublesome question. I remember when I was a boy at school we had the tariff up for debate in our literary society, and a gentleman who afterwards became a prominent Judge in Iowa began his speech by saying that there had been a great deal said about the tariff, but he thought he had it in a nutshell, and just at this time his embarrassment was such that he broke down altogether and closed his speech right there without cracking the nut, and it seems to be uncracked to this day. But, my friends, the question is simply this: That those who believe in a protective tariff have the opinion that the American interests ought to be protected by American legislation. [Cheers.] That is the theory upon which all congresses and parliments legislate in the old country, and we think this is the American policy. Now, it is very noticeable that all through our great centers of population free traders and protectionists alike are all urging city councils and boards of county commissioners either to vote money to devote to the relief of the poor and unemployed or to secure them some kind of public works, in order that men may earn their daily bread. [Cries of "That is right."] Now, if that is right it is also right for congress to frame our tariff legislation as to bring the most work to this country that is possible. It is very clear that the blankets we need cannot be made here and in England both. They will all be made here or all there, or part here and part there, and the larger the number of blankets we have to make, the larger the market we will have for wool and the more work we will have for our American workmen.

Two Important Statements.

Dun's Weekly *Review*, of March 3, contains two very significant passages, the one is that "the passage of the seigniorage bill by the house, late on Thursday, has not had time to produce much effect, but is not financially reassuring." The final passage of that bill will have the effect of forcing into the financial affairs of the country, the silver question which had so much to do with disorganizing our financial system last year, and from the effects of which the country has but recently recovered.

The other statement is this: "More works have resumed or increased hands or hours than have stopped or reduced, but numerous reductions in wages continue to lessen the purchasing power of those at work." This important feature is the one that tariff doctrinaires overlook. If people stop buying hay, and feed straw, the theorist thinks there was an overproduction of hay, when the facts are that since the hay crop was gathered the purchasing power of the people has been impaired. The less wages men receive the more their power to purchase is lessened, and it follows, as a matter of course, that they buy less goods

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We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Halls Catarrh Cure.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price, 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free.

IT may interest and perhaps flatter "the gentlemanly girl," who is so much in evidence nowadays, to know that Walter Crane, the artist, sees in the masculine character of her dress "a portent of the movement in favor of the equality of the sexes."

Guaranteed Cure.

We authorize our advertised druggist to sell Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, upon this condition. If you are afflicted with a Cough, Cold or any Lung, Throat or Chest trouble, and will use this remedy as directed, giving it a fair trial, and experience no benefit, you may return the bottle and have your money refunded. We could not make this offer did we not know that Dr. King's New Discovery could be relied on. It never disappoints. Trial bottles free at King & Wood's drug store. Large size 50c and $1.00. bm

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DAVID GARRICK of Longworth, an American, whose home is in London, is publishing an American newspaper in Cairo under the very shadow of the pyramids. He calls his journal the *Sphinx*.

COUNT WILLIAM BISMARK, son of the veteran ex-Chancellor, amuses himself by lighting his cigar with threatening letters which he receives every day from German anarchists.

IT'S just as easy to try One Minute Cough Cure as anything else. It's easier to cure a severe cold or cough with it. Let your next purchase for a cough be One Minute Cough Cure. Better medicine, better result; better try it. C. H Dawson

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CLOSE ON SUNDAY.

There has been an effort among our leading citizens, as well as among some of our clothing merchants, to have their respective places of business close on Sunday, but without success.

I have deemed it for the good of our community that all should be closed, and I hereby pledge myself, from and after Feb. 23, 1894, to close my place of business at 11 o'clock Saturday night until Monday morning, whether any one joins me in this move or not.

However, I shall ask all who wish to join me in this, to call at The Republican Office and place their names under the above. Respectfully,

GEO. W. JONES, Clothier.

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Every yard and pattern of Dress Goods in the stock goes AT COST during this sale.

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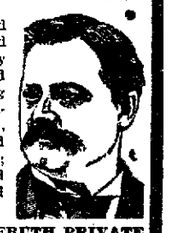

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THE coming of Mr. Richard Mansfield and his superior company to this city on Monday, March 19 is an event in theatrical of extraordinary importance. Mr. Mansfield is now acknowledged to be the greatest actor of modern times. He will appear here in his famous play "Beau Brummell."

THE Spencer & Lehman company have the exclusive agency for the celebrated Troy Carriage company's surreys, also for the Hanney Buggy company's full line of goods. A full assortment of carriages, buggies, road wagons, etc., constantly on hand. Prices cheap and work warranted. feb6-d5mo

THE regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Club will be held at the club rooms this evening, March 6, at 7:30 o'clock. Members are urged to be on time. The entertainment will be in charge of Psalmas. Guests with tickets admitted at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Anna B. McClelland, secretary. Mrs. E. M. Bacon, president.

DR. CHAPMAN IN THE CITY.

Arrival of the Noted Evangelist—Peter Bilhorn Here Also.

Rev. J. H. Elliott Talks to Men Only at the Opera House—Services To-Night and All Week.

Dr. J. Wilbur Chapman, the celebrated evangelist, and Peter Bilhorn, the vocalist, are now in the city and will engage actively in the leadership of the union revival meeting to be held for two weeks at the Grand opera house. The plan of work is thoroughly understood, and great results are expected. Gospel hymns will be heard, earnest prayers will be offered, the workers will consecrate themselves, and Dr. Chapman and the local ministers will deliver strong sermons—all with this single purpose in view, to induce men, women and children who are not members of any church to seek salvation, to confess their sins and sign the confession cards, which are to be handed in and followed up by an active corps of workers from the various churches.

THE PLEDGE.

The confession cards for distribution at each service reads as follows:

"DO IT NOW."

I have an honest desire henceforth to live a christian life. I ask the people of God to pray for me

Name———. Business address———
Residence address———. Church preference———.

All who may be persuaded at the meetings to lead a better life will voluntarily select the church of his choice and become a member of the perferred society in the regular way. Representatives of nine different denominations are in the work, but the revival is not in the interest of any particular denomination. The central thought is the salvation of the people, for the general good of the community, and the peace and happiness of the people who may resolve to lead a new life.

THE SUNDAY MEETINGS.

The first service of the union meetings held Sunday afternoon at the Grand opera house at 3:30 o'clock, was a men's meeting, conducted by Rev. J. H. Elliott, assisted by the local ministers. The sermon was preceded by a song service by the choir and congregation, directed by Prof. Westhoff. An earnest prayer was offered by Rev. W. C. Miller, of the Congregational church.

The address was on "The Downfall of a Young Man and How he Recovered Himself." In the beginning Rev. Elliott stated that he hoped no one present would think for a moment that what he might say was intended to apply directly to any individual present. As a matter of fact all were strangers to him. He knew none by name and certainly he was not acquainted with the personal history of those within hearing. He simply wanted to mention some of the varied temptations of human life, and if he could, influence those who were wandering to come back in the right path. If anybody felt that anything he said applied to him, the evangelist suggested that nothing be said about it, for if nothing was said no one would know who was meant. The many pitfalls which beset the life of the average young man in society, in business, in the line of evil associates and in all that is bad were presented in turn, and each point was enlarged upon and driven home. Speaking of the tendency of the average young man to wander away from home and into bad company, Rev. Elliott told a story about sheep-killing dogs, revealed at a meeting of farmers held in a small town. What to do with the troublesome dogs was the question under discussion. Various plans were suggested to save the sheep. One was to kill all of the dogs, but as there were some dogs that were high bred and others that were never known to bother the sheep, it would not do to kill the valuable dogs; and it would be hard to distinguish which were the troublesome dogs. Finally an old farmer who had been keeping quiet, arose and said there was just one way to meet the trouble and that was to kill every young dog that manifested a disposition to run away from home into evil company and into paths that led to killing sheep. This sentiment was warmly applauded by the audience. It was not necessary for Rev. Elliott to make the application. But he added that if he had a boy he would rather a dog should be that boy's companion than have him associate with a boy or man possessed of a vile tongue. Let a pure-minded boy hear of evil, and the taint can never be wiped out. The evangelist devoted considerable time to the experience of a young man out of a job and seeking to do right, trying to prosper and make a reputation and getting on in life. The man who has just enough money is all right. He is a good fellow and everybody is his friend. If he has too much the people despise him, and if he has not quite enough they kick him out. But the man without any money is in a sad plight. He knows not what to do. Several instances in the knowledge of the evangelist were related, referring to young men who were out of work and discouraged—how they were persuaded in their trouble to seek salvation, placing their hope and reliance on the great friend, Jesus Christ, and then friends and prosperity were added unto them. In its entirety the address was pointed and impressive, and will no doubt bear good fruit among all within hearing.

At the evening service when Evangelist Elliott spoke mainly on the excuses of some people for not embracing christianity, there was a very large congregation present. The singing was a feature of the service.

This evening Dr. Chapman will deliver his first sermon and Peter Bilhorn will lead the singing. Every evening this week except Saturday, there will be services at the Grand, and overflow meetings at convenient churches.

EVANGELIST CHAPMAN.

Dr. J. Wilbur Chapman, was born June, 17, 1859, at Richmond, Ind. His mother died when he was 12 years of age, his father when he was 19. He attended Oberlin College and the Lake Forrest University graduating from the Lane Theological Seminary at Cincinnati in

DR. J. WILBUR CHAPMAN.

1882. B. Fay Mills, who conducted a big meeting in Decatur some years ago, was his classmate. They have since carried on successful revival work together. In 1883 Chapman became the pastor of the Reformed church at Sebuylerville, N. Y., and a revival manifested soon after brought many people of character and influence into the fold. In 1885 he was installed as pastor of the First Reformed church at Albany, N. Y., one of the wealthiest and most influential religious societies in the state. In a few years time there were 500 new members of the church, gained through the remarkably successful work of the young minister. Later he was called to the pastorate of the Bethany church at Philadelphia in which John Wannamaker is an elder. In less than three years Dr. Chapman had added 1100 new members to Bethany church, and the society was thoroughly organized for aggressive and effective christian work. It was while Dr. Chapman was the pastor of Bethany church that he did special evangelistic work at Jersey City, Cincinnati and Cleveland. He was frequently called upon to engage in special work. He felt that he could accomplish greater results in the evangelistic field, and in 1892 he severed his pastoral relation at Philadelphia. Since then Dr. Chapman has devoted his time wholly to special work, and he is in such general demand that his engagements now are made for two years ahead. He is now filling his appointments in Illinois At Erie, Pa., he secured over 1000 card a guess, and a remarkable awakening was had at Springfield, Mass. He assisted B. Fay Mills at the great meeting at Minneapolis, Minn, when over 7000 cards were signed by those who had resolved to lead better lives. Dr. Chapman secured 4000 signers at Detroit, Mich., and at Mansfield, O., thousands of cards were signed.

Dr. Chapman is described by an eastern paper to be a man of intense earnestness, personally magnetic and of commanding presence. The home of the evangelist is near Albany, N. Y. He has a wife and two children.

Rev. John H. Elliott, who has been a helper at the Moody meetings, was for over ten years in the Y. M. C. A. work at Minneapolis.

Peter P. Bilhorn is the singing director with Dr. Chapman, and is the author of a number of gospel hymns.

Buried With Templar Ceremonies.

The last sad rites attending the burial of the late 'Squire John N. Fuller were observed Sunday afternoon in the First M. E. church in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends. The services were held in the lecture room, and the members of Beaumanoir Commandery, No. 9, Knights Templar, in command of Captain Durfee, escorted the remains from the house to the church. Sir Knights N. L. Krone, S. D. May, Milton Johnson, C. F. Armstrong, John T. Barnett and I. F. Phero were the pallbearers. The funeral address was delivered by Rev D. F. Huse, who in the course of his remarks paid a fitting tribute to the life of the deceased. The singing was by the church choir. At the grave the impressive Templar burial service was observed in the presence of the assembled friends.

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Stand Lamp with shade to match for $1.00, complete with burner and chimney, and ready to light. We never heard of anything one-half as cheap before.

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Assignee of E. D. Bartholomew.

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DR. T. S. HOSKINS, the veteran dentist is now in his new office, ground floor, in Grand Opera House block, South Water street, ready for business. Improved appliances; satisfaction guaranteed. jan3-d&wtf

LAST WEEK Chas Smith, St. Louis, wholesale shoes, failed. The stock was sold yesterday. G. W. Powers bought a choice lot for 35c on the dollar. In the lot were some Tan Shoes for boys and girls of the same manufacture as the ones we just sold so many that gave such long wear, only these are a little higher grade. They sell all over for $2, they would be bargains at $1.75, dirt cheap at $1.25, but come and get what you want for

85c

—SIZES, 9 TO 13½.—

Remember this, there will be no more of these shoes at any price.

To those who do not like the Tan Color we can furnish a Jet Black Stain, which makes a beautiful, permanent black.

Misses Rubbers 18c a Pair.
Ladies' Rubbers 20c "
ALL SIZES.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

In effect Feb. 26, 1894.

WABASH.

FROM ST. LOUIS.	TO ST. LOUIS.
No. 10 Pass... 8:45 p m	No. 9 Pass... 8:30 a m
No. 4 Pass... 11:57 a m	No. 3 Pass... 3:45 pm
No. 44 Pass... 11:25 a m	No. 43 Pass... 4:00 a m
No. 42 Pass... 10:10 p m	No. 40 Pass... 4:30 p m
No. 2 Pass... 10:55 a m	No. 6 Pass... 3:20 p m
FROM SPRING CREEK AND KANSAS CITY.	TO SPRING CREEK AND KANSAS CITY.
No. 42 Pass... 10:10 p m	No. 42 Pass... 4:30 a m
No. 44 Pass... 11:55 a m	No. 45 Pass... 4:00 p m
No. 2 Pass... 6:15 a m	No. 1 Pass... 9:07 p m
No. 46 Acc... 7:05 p m	No. 47 Acc... 6:45 a m
No. 70, Freight 11:05 a m	No. 71, Freight 11:00 a m
FROM TOLEDO & DETROIT.	TO TOLEDO & DETROIT.
No. 43 Pass... 3:50 a m	No. 46 Pass... 6:20 a m
No. 45 Pass... 4:00 p m	No. 44 Pass... 11:55 a m
No. 41 Pass... 9:00 p m	No. 42 Pass... 10:15 p m
No. 47 Pass from Belmont 10:30a m	No. 48 Pass to Belmont... 8:10 p m
FROM CHICAGO.	TO CHICAGO.
No. 3 Pass... 3:20 a m	No. 2 Pass... 12:20 a m
No. 5 Pass... 3:15 p m	No. 4 Pass... 11:22 p m
No. 1 Pass, except Sunday 6:00 p m	No. 6 Pass, except Sunday 6:35 a m

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
Diamond Specialy, daily ... 1:58 a.m.	Diamond Special, daily ... 7:02 a m
No. 122 pass. ex. Sunday... 9:40 a. m	No. 121 pass ex. Sunday... 10 25 a m.
No 194 freight, ex. Sunday... 2:00 p. m	No 193 freight, ex. Sunday... 10 30 a.m.
No. 102 pass. ex. Sunday... 3:20 p. m	No. 101 pass. ex. Sunday... 5 10 p.m.
No. 782 (Champaign Line) leaves, ex. Sunday... 3:15 p. m	No. 781 (Champaign Line) arrives, ex. Sunday 10 15 a.m

INDIANAPOLIS, DECATUR & WESTERN.

ARRIVE.	LEAVE.
No. 1 Pass... 2.50 p m	No. 2 Pass... 11:35 a m
No. 3 Pass... 1.35 a m	No. 4 Pass... 10:20 p m
No. 7 Freight 9:30 a m	No. 8 Freight 3:00 a m
No. 9 Freight 5:00 p m	No. 10 Freight 4:00 p m

PEORIA, DECATUR & EVANSVILLE.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
No. 2 Pass... 2.55 p m	No. 1 Pass... 11.00 a
No. 4 Pass... 6.35 a m	No. 3 Pass... 10:15 p m
No. 30 Pass, Sunday only... 7.00 a m	No. 32 Pass, Sunday only... 5.00 p m
No. 14 Freight 10:45 a m	No. 13 Freight 3:00 p m

VANDALIA LINE.

ARRIVE.	
From Terre Haute... 11:00 a m	7:00 p m
From Peoria... 2:40 p m	1:35 p m
LEAVE.	
For Peoria... 11:30 a m	7:15 a m
For Terre Haute... 7:00 a m	1:05 p m

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Chapman Meetings. | OPERA HOUSE TO-NIGHT.

John H. Elliott Will Preach.

TUESDAY:
8:30 a. m.—Men's Prayer Meeting, 40 minutes.
9:30 a. m.—Workers' Meeting, Bible and note books. First M. E. Church.
2:30 p.m.—Woman's Prayer Meeting, at First M. E. Church.
3:30 p. m.—Preaching at Opera House.
7:30 p. m.—Preaching at Opera House.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

Celestial Lodge No. 180 I. O. O. F., will meet in their hall on Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Election of officers and trustees. Visiting members are invited. D. C. Corley, N. G., H. F. Ehrman, Sec.

MASONIC.—Special assembly of Decatur Council No. 16, R. and S. Masters this (Monday) evening at 7:00 o'clock. All companions in regular standing are invited. ELI F. DAWSON, T. I. M. N. L. KRONE, Recorder.

REPUBLICAN TOWNSHIP CONVENTION

A Republican Township Convention will be held at the Guards' Armory, in Decatur, Ill., on Friday, March 16th, 1894, for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the following offices to be voted for at the Township Election to be held Tuesday, April 3d, 1894.

Three Assistant Supervisors.
One Collector.
One Town Clerk.
One Assessor.
One Commissioner of Highways.
One Pound Master.

The representation of said convention will be based upon the Reublican vote cast for Supervisor in 1893, and will be as follows:

1st District	6 delegates
2d District	6 delegates
3d District	8 delegates
4th District	3 delegates
5th District	8 delegates
6th District	7 delegates
7th District	6 delegates
8th District	9 delegates
9th District	5 delegates
10th District	2 delegates
11th District	2 delegates
12th District	7 delegates
13th District	4 delegates
14th District	5 delegates
Total	78 delegates

A primary election will be held in each district, at the places designated below, on Thursday, March 15th, 1894, from the hours of 5 to 8 p. m., for the purpose of voting for the candidates for the several offices, and at the hour of 8 p. m. the delegates from each district will be chosen, and the candidates for the several offices receiving the highest number of votes in the district shall receive the vote of the delegation from such district in convention.

The Township Central Committee shall have charge of the primary election, and shall apoint the clerk.

The primary tickets shall be supplied by the Township Central Committee, and shall contain the names of all Republicans who notify the chairman of the committee, of their desire to have their names placed on the tickets, and who pay their share of the cost of printing tickets.

All Republicans are requested to attend the primaries that the result of the vote may be the correct expression of the party's preferences.

The primaries in each district will be held in the following places to wit:

First district—Street car barn on East North street.
Second district—McCluer's shoe shop, on North Water street.
Third district—Starr & Son's wholesale harness factory, North Main street.
Fourth district—Bowers shop on Mercer street between North and William streets.
Fifth district—Nixon's grocery store, corner Oakland avenue and West Main street.
Sixth district—Doake's livery barn on West Wood street.
Seventh district—Jacob's grocery store, corner Webster and Lawrence streets.
Eighth district—Snell Bros. Feed stable, 341 East Main street.
Ninth district—Daugherty Block, East Eldorado street.
Tenth district—Thomas Paine building corner Sangamon and Jasper streets.
Eleventh district—Ferry's grocery store corner Herkimer and Calhoun streets.
Twelfth district—Gephart Block, North Water street.
Thirteenth district—Olson's grocery store corner Church and Packard streets.
Fourteenth district—Crum's drug store corner King and Monroe streets.

By order of the Republican Township Central Committee.

JOHN H. MCCOY, Chairman Pro tem.
CHAS. N. TWADELL, Secretary.

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NEW LIBRARY BOOKS.

Ready for Circulation Tuesday Morning, March 6th.

Three Bright Girls	Armstrong
A Fair Claimant	Armstrong
Cousin Geoffrey and I	Austen
Pottery & Porcelain in the U S. (ref)	Barber
Girls of a Feather	Barr
English Religions, Drama	Bates
The Curb of Honor	Betham—Edwards
Letters of Travel	Phillips Brooks
Granny's Wonderful Chair	Browne
Our Household Insects	Butler
Elements of Psychology	Davis
Life of Madame de Krundener	Ford
Arctic Researches	Hall
Canoeing and Camping Out	Hayward
A Little Girl Among the Old Masters	Howell
The Country School in New England	Johnson
Kings of the Platform and Pulpit	Landon
Ruined Abbeys of Yorkshire	Lefroy
Letters to Marco	Leslie
Army Life on the Border	Col. Marcey
In the Footsteps of the Poets	masson
At the Rising of the Moon	Mathew
Some Artists at the Fair	Millet & Others
Mr. Kris Kringle	Mitchell
Pierre and His People	Parker
Tavistock Tales	"
Recollections and Letters of Ernest Renan	
Thorndyke Manor	Rowsell
Side Lights (Essays)	Runciman
Wired Love	Thayer
A Lie Never Justifiable	Trumbull
History of Piano Playing and Literature	Weitzmann
Horace Chase	Woolson

"Photographic Tour of the World."

In another part of the paper may be found the first coupon for Part 4 "Photographic Tour of the World." This part will be ready for distribution on Thursday morning. Part 4 is a beautiful portfolio illustrating historic objects in France, including the tomb of Napoleon and his bedchamber.

Parts 1, 2 and 3 are also on hand, and those who wanted any of them after they were exhausted can now be accommodated. The enthusiasm of those who are taking these portfolios is still unabated, we are happy to say.

WITH THE ELECTRICIANS.

IT is said that there is little question but that the Edison incandescent lamp United States patent will expire with the Canadian one on November 19, 1894.

IT is found by actual work that electricity for lighting and power purposes can be produced by gas engines at much lower cost than by the medium of steam.

THE Pennsylvania legislature, at its recent session, passed a new corporation act, which, it now appears, prevents the incorporation of electric light companies.

THE Bell Telephone company of Montreal, Can., supplies telephone service for $25 a year to residents and $40 per year to business houses. It has an underground conduit system, and pays the city five per cent. of its gross profits.

SUCCESS attended the first trial of electric trolley propulsion for boats on the Erie canal a few days ago, and Gov. Flower favors the application of the system to the entire canal by the state. It is claimed that its cost is only half that of steam.

THE London Electrical Review of October 27, in an article on thunderstorms, states that the electric charge is due to the friction between two currents of air which differ in temperature, or in hygrometric condition. It describes in detail observations of a storm recently made, which tend to prove the explanation offered.

WITH THE SCIENTISTS.

A SILK worm's thread is one-thousandth part of an inch thick.

TO BE perfectly proportioned a man should weigh twenty-eight pounds for every foot of his height.

IF a well could be dug to a depth of forty-six miles the air at the bottom would be as dense as quicksilver.

THE average speed of the transmission of earthquake shocks is nearly sixteen thousand feet per second.

THE idea of an ancient tropical continent at the south pole uniting South America, Madagascar and Australia is arousing considerable interest and discussion in scientific circles.

AFTER two years' trial with pine, oak and greenheart in the Suez canal works, it has been found that while pine and oak are destroyed by the borer worm, the greenheart, which comes from British Guiana, was unharmed.

THE latest intelligence concerning Dr. Nansen's Arctic expedition is to the effect that he has made satisfactory progress. Norwegian whalers report meeting him in the Kara sea and off Nova Zambla in August and further state that the water was singularly free from ice.

RAILROAD RATTLE.

OWING to the recent coal strike in England the Great Eastern railway is fitting up twenty-five locomotives with a liquid fuel apparatus to burn crude oil or tar.

A CONTRACT has been entered into by an American corporation for the building of a railway through the Jordan valley along the Sea of Galilee to Damascus.

THE speed of the fastest railway train is only a little more than one-half the velocity of the golden eagle's flight, the bird having been known to make one hundred and forty miles per hour.

A MAN who is in a situation to speak from the card says that the Pennsylvania Railroad company burns over twelve thousand tons of coal a day between Pittsburgh and Jersey City, at a cost considerably over forty thousand dollars. This is for making steam only, and does not include the coal used for heating, running, pumping engines, elevators, air compressors and electric light generators, or for the many tugs and ferryboats employed by this line.

AS TO a tax on playing cards a good many would certainly take a hand in playing it.

ADDED TO THEIR FAME.

GOD reigns and the government at Washington still lives.—Garfield, in a speech made on the day of Lincoln's death.

ONE tongue is enough for a woman. —Milton, when asked if he would instruct his daughters in foreign languages.

'TIS the first beat of the drum, of ill omen for France.—Marie Antoinette, when the states general was summoned.

NONE of you know where the shoe pinches. — Lucius Aemilius Paulus, when asked why he divorced his beautiful wife.

IF I were to begin the world again, and knew just what I know now, I would never write a verse.—Alexander Pope.

AFTER us the deluge, Mme. de Pompadour said when a warning was given of the downward tendency of things in France.

GOOD Americans, when they die, go to Paris.—Thomas G. Appleton. Repeated in the Autocrat of the Breakfast Table.

IT does not signify much whom one marries, as one is sure to find the next morning it was some one else.—Samuel Rogers.

MARINE SHIPPING NOTES.

THE United States has 686 vessels engaged exclusively in foreign trade; Great Britain has 5,968.

THE steamers between Europe and North America carry on an average about 70,000 passengers a month.

THE American line steamer New York, when running at full speed, burns enough coal in a single day to last a family using ten tons a winter for thirty-three years.

ITALIAN ships are worked cheaper than those of any other nation. The monthly expenses of an Italian ship with a crew of twenty men are about $475; of an American ship, $1,000.

IT is estimated that an average of more than 2,000 vessels and 12,000 lives are lost in the various seas and oceans every year, the value of ships and cargoes being roughly averaged at about $100,000,000.

THE new steel ship Centurine, which arrived at Duluth, Minn., last week, broke the record of the great lakes for speed. She made the run from Buffalo in less than sixty-eight hours, or 14.7 miles per hour. The speed across Lake Huron was 15.9 miles per hour.

COMMON NAMES.

HURST meant wood, hence residents in or near a wood bore the names of Hurseley, Hawkhurst, Ashurst, Elmhurst and the like.

COP meant any prominence of land, and hence came the Cops, Copes, Copleys, Copelands, Copps, Cophams, Copwills, Cobdens and Cobleys.

STARCH and stark were synonymous, which accounts for the abundance of the Starks, formerly manufacturers of or dealers in this article.

HEIFER herds were yeat herds, hence the Yeamans and Yeaters. Cowherds, Coherds and Cowarts were the men who tended the herds of cows.

SWAIN was formerly a man who kept hogs, and his descendants are the Swaines, Swaynes, and perhaps also Swaims, Swinnerts and Hoggarts.

HILL comes from an old English verb meaning to cover, or put a roof on; hence the Hills, Hillyers, Helliers, Heelers, and even Helman and Heelman.

FARMERS IN FOREIGN LANDS.

THE refuse of sugar cane can be used in making paper, which should enable sugar planters to get a better return from their plantations, the method of manufacturing being simple and inexpensive.

THIS year's apple crop has been heavy throughout the United Kingdom and the fruit is quite equal to the average in size and somewhat above it in quality. Pears, although less plentiful, gave a good return.

WITHIN the past twenty years the area planted to wheat in Great Britain has decreased by 1,600,000 acres, and that planted to barley by 260,000 acres, while the area planted to oats has increased by 496,000 acres.

THE production of olive oil in Cephalonia is very considerable, a crop yielding from 25,000 to 30,000 barrels, more than 75 per cent. of which goes into local consumption, the remainder being exported exclusively into Russia.

PRESS PICKINGS.

THE New Idea, a new newspaper just born in Red Lodge, Mont., announces itself as "independent in politics, religion, and etiquette."

THE ten Sunday papers in New York, together with the three in Brooklyn, published one Sunday 420 pages altogether, aggregating 3,000 columns and 5,500,000 words.

THERE is a newspaper in Kansas edited by a convicted thief, whose chief assistants are a forger and a burglar, and published by a gang of known felons. Its office is in the state penitentiary.

THE Standard, an evening English paper, and the Germania, an evening German daily, of Evansville, Ind., have passed into the control of a cooperative company composed of all the employes of the two papers.

FIGS AND THISTLES.

A STINGY man is never contented.

WHERE hard work kills one man, worry uses up a dozen.

IF happiness is your main object in life don't try too hard to get rich.

A LIE always has a dagger in its hand, no matter how well meaning it may look.

GENERALLY when a man feels the need of economy he thinks it ought to begin with his wife.

THE man who lives with his head in the clouds will generally be found standing with his foot on somebody's neck.

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MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

The REPUBLICAN is indebted to B. Z. Taylor, dealer in grain, provisions and stocks, with correspondents in Chicago, New York, Minneapolis and St. Louis, for the following market quotations:

CHICAGO, Ill., March 5, 1894.

ARTICLES.	Opening.	High'est	Lowest	Closing
WHEAT—				
Mar	57¼	....	....	57½
May	59⅝	59⅞	59⅛	59⅜
July	61	61⅝	61	61½
CORN—				
Mar	34⅝	....	....	34⅞
May	36⅝	37⅛	36½	37⅛
July	37½	38⅛	37⅛	38
OATS—				
Mar	28¾	28⅞	28¾	28⅞
May	29⅝	30	29⅝	29⅞
July	28	....	....	28⅛

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LIVERPOOL, 12:30 p. m.—Wheat steady, demand poor; holders offer moderately; corn quiet, demand poor.

BOARD of Trade Cable, LIVERPOOL.—Wheat spot steady, unchanged; futures quiet ¼d lower.

CLOSING PROVISIONS.

PORK—Mar., $11 52; May, $11 62.
LARD—Mar., 7 00; May, $6 92.
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TO-DAY'S RECEIPTS—CAR LOTS.

Wheat, all grades, 52, Estimated 50.
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Oats, all grades, 271; Estimated, 250.

LIVE STOCK RECEIPTS.

Hogs 30,000; 1000 above estimate, market active. Light hogs, $4 85@$5 10. Heavy packing, $4 85@$5 00.
Cattle 20,000; market slow.

ESTIMATES FOR TO-MORROW.

Wheat, 70, Corn, 550; Oats, 275.
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VISIBLE SUPPLY.

FOR THE WEEK.	1893.
Wheat—decrease	1,689,000
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Wheat opened ¼d lower, and soon regained the ¼ drop on the large decrease in the visible supply.

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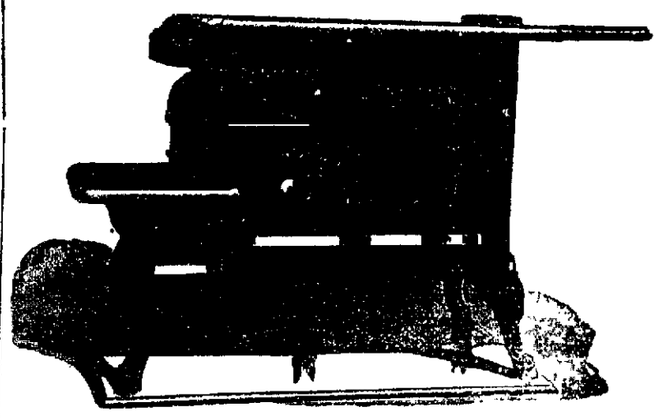

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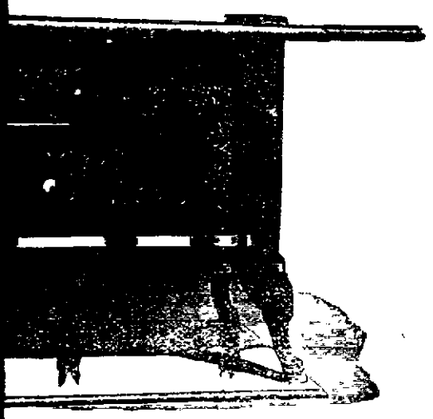

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DEER are numerous in northwestern Maine, and annoy the farmers whose lands are near the forests.

A SNAKE, just discovered in Brazil, has tusks like a boar, and a two-foot horn ornaments its forehead.

SALMON fishing is prohibited in the state of Washington between six p. m. on Saturday and the same hour on Sunday.

A QUAIL almost pure white was lately shot near Atlanta, Ga. The only part not white was the tip of the tail, and this was of the usual hue.

A HUGE lobster, thirty-five inches in length, was lately caught by Everett Smith, at the edge of the surf, in Patchogue, N. Y. One of its claws is twelve inches long.

GEORGE JAMISON, of Bath, Me., had just warned Michael Nelson to handle his gun carefully when he (Jamison) tripped and fell, and received a death-wound from the discharge of his own gun.

THE largest fish caught in the Columbia river so far this season was a sturgeon measuring 11 feet 5 inches long and weighing 755 pounds, which was landed at Knappton, Wash., a week or so ago. The head alone weighed 151 pounds, and the fish yielded 427 pounds of edible meat.

GARDEN AND FOREST.

AN odorless onion is cultivated by Chinese gardeners.

A PEAR that weighs over thirty ounces is on exhibition at a drug store in Atlanta, Ga.

THE British scientific expedition to the Philippine islands is said to have discovered 2,500 feet above the sea level, on the sides of the extinct volcano Apo, a flower five feet and a half in diameter.

A FARMER near Shepardstown, Pa., raised a stalk of cabbage with one huge head in the center and eighteen smaller ones around it. These were about the size of a quart measure and perfectly formed.

IN the earlier periods of life trees increase much faster than when adult—the oak, for instance, grows more rapidly between the twentieth and thirtieth years—and when old the annual deposits considerably diminish, so that the strata are thinner and the rings proportionately closer.

THE COAL TRADE.

DURING the last year 179,000,000 tons of coal were mined in Westmoreland county, Pa.

SHIPMENTS of Pocahontas coal at Lambert's Point during 1893 to November 1, were 1,518,080 tons.

ONE of the peculiar features of the coal trade is the importation at San Francisco of coal from China.

THE number of persons employed in the bituminous mines of the United States in 1892 was 212,893, as compared with 205,372 in 1891. This places the total of employes in coal mines of the United States in 1892 at a tally of 341,943.

ON the tipple at Hoytdale mines, Beaver county, Pa., the coal is dumped by William Grundy, who is sixty-one years of age. He has been on the same tipple for twenty-eight years, and during that time has dumped 2,520,000 tons of coal.

WELL UP IN YEARS.

THE oldest person in Indiana is "Aunt Baldy," who recently attained her 104th birthday. She is an inmate of the Old Ladies' home at Terre Haute.

THE seventieth anniversary of their wedding was recently celebrated by Rev. Benjamin Stevens and wife of Hannibal, Mo. His age is 93, and hers is 88.

NUMEROUS descendants make happy the declining years of Mrs. Rowena Harty, of Parrott, Ga. She is 83 years old, was married at the age of 14, is the mother of 17 children, has 87 grandchildren, and 26 great-grandchildren.

JUDGE N. P. EARP, the 80-year-old father of the Earp boys, celebrated among the toughs of Tombstone's toughest days, was married in San Bernardino, Cal., a few days ago to a coy bride whose years cover a half century.

WIT OF THE DAY.

AFTER a woman has been married three weeks she doesn't like to have her husband around the house in the day time.—Atchison Globe.

AMONG other virtues it must be said of the football player that he doesn't get his hair cut in a crowded shop on a Saturday night.—Philadelphia Times.

TALKATIVE BARBER—"There's one thing that never causes me any sorrow to part with." Luckless Customer—"And that is?" Talkative Barber—"A comb. Next gent!"—Buffalo Courier.

AT a school examination the inspector asked a boy why the earth turned around the sun on its own axis. The boy answered with great promptness: "Because it doesn't want to get roasted too much on one side."—Tid-Bits.

FOREIGN CENSUS FIGURES.

IN Vienna the Jews number about 10 per cent. of the entire body of inhabitants.

EMIGRATION from European Russia to Siberia is on the increase and reached 100,000 in 1892.

THE annual average of criminals tried in Germany for all offenses is 222,694; in Italy, 127,372; in Great Britain, 78,438.

THE number of insane persons in Ireland has increased from 249 per 100,000 population in 1880 to 369 per 100,000 in 1892.

A PARLIAMENTARY blue book relating to the last census for England and Wales shows that there were taken 8,716,363 unmarried males and 8,908,665 unmarried females, 4,851,548 married males, and 4,916,649 married females, 484,990 widowers and 1,124,319 widows.

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A DENTIST at Birmingham, England, has just been mulcted in $250 damages for the extraction of the whole of the teeth of a married woman. She only asked him to extract one tooth. Previous to the operation she testified she could eat a crust or pick a bone with anyone.

GEORGIA'S criminal superior court has discontinued the kissing of the Bible in the administration of oaths. Judge Clark, in explaining the order to that effect, says: "Holding up the right hand is the more convenient form. Then the kissing of the book is a very nasty thing. I have heard of persons catching disease in that way."

CAR LOADS OF MONEY.

THE assessed valuation of this country in 1890 was $24,249,585,804.

THE richest community in the country, according to population, is said to be that of Brookline, Mass. This town has a population of 13,000, and property valued at $62,000,000.

AT the beginning of 1893 there were 1,701,000,000 francs in gold and 1,257,000,000 francs in silver in the vaults of the Bank of France. It would require 688 cars of a capacity of 10 tons each to move the metals.

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A TABLE showing the monetary system of the world has been prepared by Director of the Mint Preston. The statistics show that the aggregate stock of gold is $3,582,005,000; silver, $4,042,700,000, and uncovered paper, $3,635,873,000.

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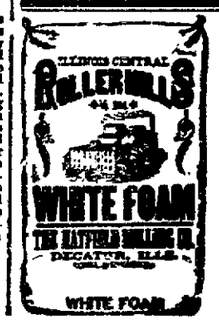

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The Policy of the Reconstructed Ministry.

The career of the reconstructed ministry will proceed for some time, probably on the lines hitherto followed. The glamour of Mr. Gladstone's name will be doubtless of the greatest use in making clear the way of the cabinet as long as he shall remain in or near the arena of politics; but it must be remembered that the government majority is small and that Lord Rosebery, who has never been an ardent home ruler, is likely to have trouble with the Irish members after the withdrawal of the old premier's conciliatory influence.

Henry Labouchere, the fighting leader of the radicals, and most of his supporters, moreover, are not likely to be reconciled to a peer in the premiership, even under Mr. Gladstone's influence, and especially in view of Mr. Gladstone's final declaration against the house of lords.

The Anti-Parnellites Waiting.

The attitude of Justin McCarthy and his anti-Parnellite followers will not be known definitely, until their meeting on the evening of the new session. At present they are not disposed to take part in the conflict over the leadership, as they regard the pledges given by the liberal party as satisfactory to the claims of Ireland. Much depends upon the attitude of Sir William Harcourt, chancellor of the exchequer and Mr. Gladstone's tried lieutenant in the house of commons. Sir William seems to be the only possible leader of the liberals in the house of commons. Should he consent to serve under Lord Rosebery, much of the ministerial difficulty would be removed, although minor causes of embarrassment would remain. It is impossible for any liberal commoner to oppose any item of the Newcastle programme merely with a view to ejecting a government headed by a peer; but if Sir William and other ministers dislike the plan of the new regime, a dissolution of parliament is more likely than a reconstruction of the cabinet.

The summoning of members from the south side and the front bench to take seats in the cabinet is regarded as unlikely.

Another series of questions is involved in the uncertainty of the unionists' attitude to some variations which Lord Rosebery might introduce in the liberal policy. However much the conservatives and liberal-unionists may desire to oust the new ministry at the first opportunity, their action is likely to be directed largely by the tactics of the liberal party managers, and should Lord Rosbery insist upon a larger naval vote than the order favored by Mr. Gladstone, the conservatives and liberal unionists would support him.

The opposition in this case would emanate from the radicals and Irishmen, Sir William Harcourt, moreover, is not likely to favor the large naval expenditures, to which Lord Rosebery is believed to be inclined, because he is anxious to have a popular budget.

A Case for Guesswork.

It is endless guesswork concerning the personnel of the reconstructed cabinet. There is no doubt, however, that the caucus managers and wire-pullers and many clubmen of the government party prefer Sir William Harcourt to Lord Rosebery in the premiership. The extremists among themselves declare absolutely that they will not have Lord Rosebery, who has done none of the government's hard work, was never a commoner, and is tainted with jingoism. The fact is that Lord Rosebery is a strong, reserved man. While many of the elder ministerialists may not wish to serve under him, he is the favorite of the great majority of the liberals outside of parliament. The voters who look to him are not the class who attend meetings and agitate, but on election days they are the backbone of the party. They prefer Lord Rosebery to others because he proved so amply his firmness, tact and foresightedness, when he was chairman of the London county council. The midlands and the north of England remember him for his success in settling the disastrous coal strike of last year, while Scotland, regarding herself as the natural heir to the liberal leadership, prefers him to any other condidate yet mentioned for the premiership.

Lord Rosebery is a Natural Statesman.

He always desires a comparatively free hand, which the radicals are ever unwilling to give him, and which in his present position is out of the question. Lord Randolph Churchill once compared Lord Rosebery with Machiavelli. The comparison was made in jest, but many of the most intimate friends think it might be accepted in earnest. Rosebery has been a schemer, and therein lies one cause of radical distrust, although Mr. Labouchere and his friends say that the opposition is quite impersonal and is directed against the hereditary principle alone. The radictus believe also that Mr. Gladstone's withdrawal was not due wholly to the weakness of his health, but largely to the pressure exerised by his colleagues in favor of larger naval expenditures.

It is not by any means certain that Lord Rosebery will succeed in holding his party together long, but it is certain that he is better able to reconcile the discordant elements than any other. Not a few think that the difficulty and delicacy of the situation will discourage him in advance and cause him to refuse the leadership, at the same time pushing forward the Earl of Kimberly, now secretary of state for India, as a stop-gap. It is not likely. Rosebery is ambitious and self-confident. Moreover his refusal of the premiership would greatly injure his popularity, which is due largely to the people's belief in his strength of character.

A Legacy of Effort and Stubborn Conflict.

LONDON, March 3.—Concerning the retirement of Mr. Gladstone the Speaker, a weekly organ of the liberal party, in its issue to-day says:

It is a legacy of effort and stubborn conflict which Mr. Gladstone leaves to those who are to come after him, and Thursday's speech in the house of commons will be notable on the pages of history as marking not only the close of a matchless career, but the opening of a new era in the national story.

The fact of this coming battle is the real secret of Gladstone's resignation. The habit of his life thought has been a gallant conflict, either with the hereditary or without the hereditary throne, although he bowed to the will of his party and inexhaustible logic of events in making his speech a call to that great battle, he preferred to commit the leadership to a more willing as well as a younger spirit.

Lord Rosebery Takes Time to Consider.

LONDON, March 5.—Sir Henry Ponsonby, the queen's private secretary, visited Lord Rosebery in London Saturday afternoon and told him of the queen's wish that he accept the premiership. Lord Rosebery was unwilling to give any immediate decision. He conferred at length with his colleagues in the cabinet and delayed his acceptance until evening.

The queen will come from Windsor to London to-day, and will give Lord Rosebery an audience in Buckingham palace. Sir William Harcourt, chancellor of the exchequer; Earl Spencer, first lord of the admiralty, and Herbert Asquith, home secretary, called upon Lord Rosebery yesterday.

Mr. Gladstone attended the chapel royal, St. James, yesterday morning and took no part in the cabinet-making.

A Reverend Rascal Wanted by the Police.

LONDON, March 5.—The police are looking for Rev. Wm. Browne, pastor of a Dissenting church in Liverpool, to which he was accredited from America. Mr. Browne is said to have eloped last month from Liverpool with a woman, and to have left numerous debts to tradesmen, besides neglecting to pay back loans from members of his church.

It transpired Saturday that three years ago, while his wife was in London, Mr. Browne married an Acton woman with a dowry of £500. The couple went to New York, but Mr. Browne returned alone. It is supposed that he deserted the Acton woman in America.

In Favor of the Civil Marriage Bill.

BUDA PESTH, March 4.—More than 300,000 persons joined yesterday in the demonstration in favor of the civil marriage bill. Ex-Minister Crosby presided over the largest of the meetings. Tens of thousands marched through the streets, cheering for the cabinet and waving flags and banners. Crowds stood all day before the houses of Maurice Joaki, the author; Premier Wekerle, Count Czaky, minister of public worship, and D. Von Szilagyi, minister of justice. The appearance of any cabinet minister in the street was the signal for tumultuous demonstrations. Many houses were illuminated last night.

Louis Kossuth Suffers a Relapse.

TURIN, March 5.—Louis Kossuth, the Hungarian patriot, has suffered a relapse and is again seriously ill. Dr. Basso, his regular physician, despairs of his recovery as he refuses to take regular treatment.

Died Suddenly.

LONDON, March 5.—Dudley Coutts Majoribanks, Baron Tweedmouth, died suddenly yesterday afternoon. He had been ailing for some time. Edward Majoribanks, his son, liberal member of parliament, succeeds to the peerage.

Muley Hassan Will Pay.

MADRID, March 5.—The negotiations between Spain and Morocco as to the Riffian attacks upon Melilla last fall are reported to have been closed. Sultan Muley Hassan has agreed to pay an indemnity of 20,000,000 pesalas.

DR. BERNAYS' BILL.

Notwithstanding His Denial He Did Present It and for Fifteen Thousand Dollars.

ST. LOUIS, March 5.—The statement is reiterated in the Republic of this morning that Dr. Bernays did present a bill against Dr. Arthur Duestrow for $15,000 for a surgical operation upon the latter's wounded wife. It seems that the infidel doctor, who seems to be struck on himself, first tried to have the fact kept out of the papers, and afterward denied it altogether.

Will Prove a Valuable Clew.

ST. JOSEPH, MO., March 5.—A posse which came in from the scene of the attempted hold-up of a Rock Island train brought the lantern which the bandits used and a rubber coat lost by one of them. The coat will prove a valuable clew. It is thought that the robbers are concealed in a heavy belt of timber near Hall's station, and a careful search is being made. The officials of the Rock Island and United States express companies have offered a reward of $500 for the arrest of the bandits.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—The ship Occidental, which grounded near Comax, B. C., was floated without damage.

—On the 3d the banks of New York held $75,778,900 in excess of the requirements of the 25-per-cent rule.

—The Laurence felting mill at Millville, Mass., has shut down for an indefinite period. The works employed 100 hands.

—The imports of specie at the port of New York for last week were $461,173, of which $459,051 was gold and $2 112 silver.

—The imports, exclusive of specie, at the port of New York for last week were $10 953,125, of which $8,304,603 was general merchandise and $1,648,522 dry goods.

—Ike Weir, the "Belfast Spider," and Young Griffo have signed articles to fight March 17, at Chicago, eight rounds at catch weights for a purse of $1,500.

—Herr Lipschute, who was under engagement to manage the Berliner theater next autumn, committed suicide in the Anhalt railway station in Berlin.

—It is reported on good authority that the Pullman Palace Car Co has sold its almost abandoned plant at Detroit, Mich., to the Wagner Palace Car Co., for $170,000.

—Saturday was Vermont day at the Midwinter exposition. It was the one hundred and third anniversary of the Green Mountain state's admission to the Union.

—Ex-Gov. Russell A. Alger, of Michigan, arrived at San Francisco Saturday morning to participate in the Michigan day celebration, Saturday next, at the Midwinter exposition.

—A collision occurred between two Austrian merchant steamers off Pola, Austria-Hungary. One of the vessels, Elektra, was badly damaged, and five of her crew were drowned.

—The report that Jake Kilrain was dying is untrue. He has suffered from a complication of diseases for some months but is not considered to be in anything like a critical state.

—George Siddons, of New Orleans, and Danney Russell, of Bridgeport, fought twenty-seven rounds in a hall near Newark, N. J., for $500 a side, and Siddons was awarded the victory on a foul.

—John G. Frazer, alias Walter Brown, wanted in Toronto, Ont. for embezzling $15,000 from the Grand Trunk Railroad Co., was arrested in St. Louis Saturday. He will be taken back to Toronto.

—Edward Conway for four years deputy United States marshal committed suicide at his home in Indianapolis, Ind., hanging himself with a rope which he had fastened to a bed post. He is thought to have been temporarily insane.

—J. Werner, of Chicago, who it was announced would scatter the cremated remains of the late Henry Newgarten, of Indianapolis, over the ocean from one of the piers at Atlantic City, N. J. Friday did not put in an appearance.

—William H. Taylor, a Pullman car porter, who found Tobe Carlisle, a colored barber, in the company of his wife on March 15, 1893 and killed him, was sentenced in the St. Louis criminal court to be hanged April 10. An appeal will be taken.

—The barrel mill of the Moosic Powder Co at the village of Moosic, Pa. exploded Saturday morning with a force that was felt several miles in every direction. One man was killed and two so badly injured that their recovery is doubtful.

—Notice has been posted at the Phoenixville iron works at West Chester, Pa., to the effect that there will be no more work at the extensile plant until further orders. About 800 hands are thrown out of employment. Lack of orders is the cause.

—The United States Ship Marion, Commander Gridley, ran into a severe storm three days out from Yokohama on her way to San Francisco, and her machinery became so disabled that she was compeled to put back to Yokohama for repairs.

—Pennsylvania railroad officials are advised by officials of the western system that a steady improvement is noted in both freight and passenger business. It is impossible to make any further reduction in expenses without reducing wages, which is not contemplated.

—The weekly statement of the New York associated banks issued Saturday, shows the following changes: Reserve, increase, $1,001,400, loans, decrease $1,914,200, specie, decrease, $389,500, legal tenders, increase, $1,150,400, net deposits, decrease $1,001,200, circulation, decrease, $23 600.

A DASTARDLY MURDER.

A Night Operator Shot Dead at His Desk—Great Excitement.

HAY SPRING, Neb., March 5.—At 2 o'clock yesterday morning, while Gould A. Still, night telegraph operator of the Fremont, Elk Horn & Missouri Valley railroad, was sitting at his desk, an unknown man fired through the window, which was in front of the desk, instantly killing Still.

As soon as the shooting was reported Supt. Harris and Drs. Jackson and Weir, of Chadron, accompanied by Sheriff Bartlett, came to the city on a special train.

There are a number of theories as to the motives of the assassin, but the generally accepted one is that the murder was committed for money.

Mr. Still was subpœnaed to testify against Alex Dubon, of Valentine, who it is alleged stole and shipped several carloads of cattle from Cherry county, Neb. It seems that these cattle were billed by Mr. Still, and some of his friends claim that he expressed his fear at being called upon to testify.

The people of Hay Springs are very much worked up over the affair and should the murderer be caught he is likely to be lynched. The country is being scoured for miles around and while there is no clue, it will be almost impossible for the murderer to escape.

A Disastrous Rear-End Collision.

WINAMAC, Ind., March 5.—Yesterday morning, at 3:15 o'clock, almost immediately in front of the Panhandle depot, occurred one of the most disastrous rear-end collisions know to the company. Bruce Ide, the engineer in charge of a Panhandle freight train fell asleep unknown to Fireman Fred Merrill. His train was flying along at a lightning speed when it ran into the caboose of No. 84, damaging about fifteen cars.

The engine left the track immediately after striking the caboose, plowed deep in the ground for a distance of 300 feet, turning a complete somersault, landing square upon her back. Engineer Ide received injuries that will in all probability cost him his life. Fireman Merrill was thrown from the cab, a distance of fifty feet from the track, escaping with a badly scalded body. The loss to the railroad company is estimated at $75,000.

The President Expected in Washington.

WASHINGTON, March 4.—President Cleveland is expected to return to Washington this evening or to-morrow morning. The arrangements have been made for a postponement of Tuesday's cabinet meeting, and the latest advices at the executive mansion are to the effect that Tuesday's meeting will be held as usual with the president in his place.

Great March Sale

BY

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151 North Water Street.

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MONDAY MORNING

We will begin a series of low priced sales to continue this entire month. These sales will consist of closing out everything in the way of Heavy Winter Goods, such as Cloaks, Blankets, Comforts, Wool Underwear, Hosiery, etc., giving the people a chance to obtain goods at less than value, and the

OPENING OF NEW SPRING GOODS

Which will be put on sale from dry to day at very low prices. Kindly read our advertisements from day to day, and remember one thing—you will always find goods just as advertised.

Dry Goods.

Special low prices.
Best 8½c Apron Check Gingham at 4½c a yard.
Lot of Dark 10 and 12½c Ginghams cut to 7½c.
7½c Unbleached Muslin at 4½c.
10c Bleached Muslin cut to 7½c.
8½c Unbleached Muslin at 6¼c.
25c Fancy Bed Tick at 17c a yard.
35c Curtin Dot Swiss cut to 23c.
25c Wide Sheeting cut to 18½c.
22½c Wide Sheeting cut to 16½c.
12½c Outing Flannel cut to 8½c a yard.
12½c Cheviot Shirting cut to 8½c a yard.
15c Check Linen Towling cut to 11c.
25c Fancy Towels cut to 19c.
50c Cream Damask cut to 39c.
75c Cream Damask cut to 48c.
Cambric Skirt Lining cut to 4½c a yard.
Dress Canvas, 20 and 25c goods, cut to 15c.
Bed Spreads $1.50 and $1.75 kind cut to 98c.
Bed Spreads $1.25 quality cut to 89c.
Embroidered White Flannel $1.25 quality cut to 89c.
Ladie's $1 Quality Wool Skirts cut to 69c.
Saxony Yarn 12½c skeins cut to 9c.
Germantown Yarn 8½c a ball.
Ice Wool 25c boxes cut to 12½c a box, cream or black.
Indigo Blue Calico, best 7c kind on sale at 4½c a yard. (10 yards to a customer.)

Notions.

Coats' Best Spool Cotton at 3½c a spool.
100 yards Spool Silks at 5c a spool.
Darning Cotton, Black or Tan 3c a ball.
Cabinet Hair Pins at 3c a cabinet.
Stick Pins, one lot 15 and 20c kind at 8c.
Dress Shields, 20c kind at 9c.
Shoe Dressing, Big Bottle, 15c kind at 9c.
Dressing Combs, 25c kind, rubber at 10c.

Glove Sale

To reduce our stock of fine Kid Gloves we will offer choice of our line of $1.25, $1.50, $1.75 Kid Gloves at 98c, for this week.
Lot of 35, 40, 45, 50c, Jersey Gloves cut to 25c pair.

Corset sale.

Special low prices on corsets this week to reduce stock.
50c Corsets at 39c, 75c Corsets at 48c.
One lot $1.25 Corsets at 89c.

Dress Goods.

Our stock of Dress Goods must be reduced this coming week.
$1 Quality of Henriettas Black and all Colors cut to 69c.
Fine Broad Cloth value $1.25 and $1.50 suitable for Ladie's Jackets and Capes cut to 98c.
One Lot Novelty Suitings that have sold at 60, 65, and 75c cut to 39c.
New Lot of Light Colored Check Hop Sack Novelties, value 75c, on sale at 48c.

Carpet Sale.

We want to call your attention to our Carpet Department.
We will save you money on Carpets, Mattings, Rugs, Windows Shades, Lace Curtains, or on Oil Cloths for floors.
Note the prices:
Best All Wool Ingrains at 58, 65, 69, and 73c.
Best Union Ingrains at 38, 45, 48c.
Other Ingrains at 25, 28, 33, 39c a yd.
Home Made Rag Carpets at 25, 30, and 35c a yard.
Mattings at 12½, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, to 50c.
Window Shades at 25, 35, 45, 50 to 75c.
Chenille Portierres, $7.50 quality cut to $4.75.
Remember we keep Carpets.

Men's Goods.

Men's 75c Unlaundred White Shirts cut to to 48c. Heavy duck lined bosoms.
Men's 50c Unlaundried White Shirts cut to 39c.
Men's Work Shirts at 39, 50 and 65c.
Men's 50c Silk End Suspenders cut to 25c.

Boys' Waists.

One Lot 25, 30, 35, and 40c goods put on Sale at 23c each.

Umbrella Sale.

We are over stocked on Gent's and Ladies' Fine Quality Silk Umbrellas.
$2 95 will buy choice of lot of Fine Umbrellas that have sold at $3.50, $3 75, $4 50 to $5.50 each.
$1,95 will buy choice of lot of Umbrellas that sold at $2.25, $2.50, $2.75, $3, and $3 25.
$1.39 will buy choice of lot of umbrellas that have sold at $1.75 and $2.

Cloak Sale.

During the last week we have sold a great many good cloaks. The prices did the selling, as we are not selling for profit. We are selling to get the cloaks out regardless of value or cost.
Buy one even if you have to keep it till next winter.
$10 00 will buy Fine Cloaks that have sold at $15.50, $16.50, $17.50, to $20.00.
$7.50 will buy Cloaks that have sold at $11.00, $12 00, $12 50, to $15 00.
We have some extra values to give in Fine Plush Cloaks at $12 50, $15 00, $17.50, $19.50 and 22 50.
Children's Cloaks all go at about half price.
Just opened a new lot of Ladies' Spring Weight Capes at $4.50 and $6.00 each.

Sale Undearwear and Hosiery.

Ladies' or Gents' All Wool Scarlet Shirts or Drawers that sold at $1.25 cut to 69c.
One Lot Ladies' Natural Wool Shirts or Drawers, worth 75c to $1.00, cut to 58c each garment.
New Lot of Ladie's Swiss Ribbed Vests for Spring Use 25c quality, on sale at 19c this week.
Ladies' 15c Quality Fast Black Hose at 10c.
Ladies' 15c Quality Grey Mixed Hose at 10c.
Ladies' Wool Hosiery 35c quality at 19c.
Children's 15c Quality Ribbed Hose cut to 10c.
Children's 25c Quality Ribbed Hose cut to 15c

Black Dress Silks.

Some extra value to reduce our stock this week.
$1 75 and $2 Silks (all weaves) cut to $1 25.
$1 25 Quality Silks cut to 98c.
One Lot Drapery Silks, $1 00 quality, cut to 50c a yard.

Shoes.

We are showing an extra good stock of Ladies' New Oxfords for spring wear at $1, $1 50, $1.75, $2, to $3 a pair.
See our Ladies' Dongola Button Shoes at $1.50, $2, $2 50, and $3 a pair.
Children's School Shoes at 98c, $1.25, $1.35, and $1.48 a pair.

Remember our store will be headquarters for bargains all this month of March and this entire spring as well.

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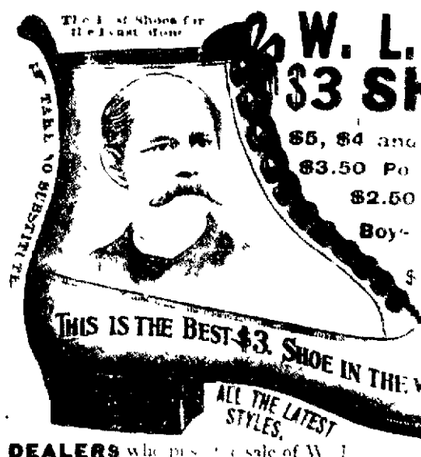

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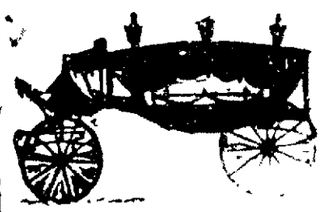

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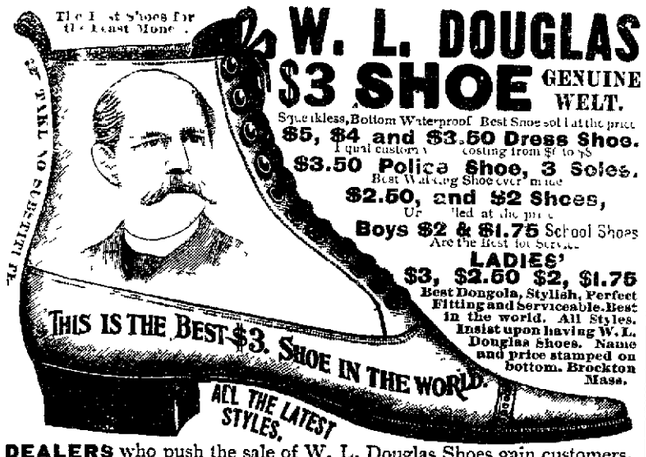

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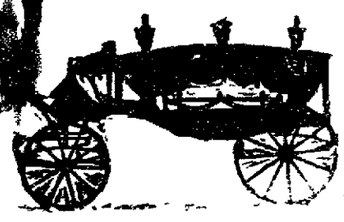

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A SPIRIT OF LEVITY

Prompted a Statement in a Mississippi Newspaper

WHICH LED TO BITTER CRIMINATION,

And Resulted in the Killing of One Legislator and the Fatal Wounding of Two Bystanders by Another Member of the Legislature.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 4.—The most sensational tragedy in the history of Mississippi occurred at Kosciusko, the county seat of Atalla county, yesterday.

S. A. Jackson, a member of the state legislature and one of the most prominent politicians in the state, was shot and instantly killed, and Samuel Russell and William Sanders, two innocent bystanders, were fatally wounded by Rev. W P. Ratliffe, also a member of the legislature and one of the leaders of the populist party in Mississippi

The tragedy was the culmination of a political feud of long standing which was brought to a climax by a bitter newspaper controversy Ratliffe published an editorial in his paper, the Vindicator, reflecting on Jackson's vote in the recent contest in the legislature over the election of a successor to United States Senator Walthall. Jackson replied in a card in another paper in which he denounced Ratliffe as a liar

The two men met at the courthouse in Kusciosko yesterday, for the first time since the publication of Jackson's article. There was a large crowd on hand attending a bankrupt sale by the sheriff No one noticed the meeting of the two men until they began scuffling in the courthouse door Both Ratliffe and Jackson pulled their revolvers and began a terrible duel to the death When the smoke of battle cleared away Jackson was found with a bullet hole in his forehead, while his right arm near the shoulder was shattered by a glancing shot aimed at his head. A few feet away lay Samuel Russell and William Sanders, two bystanders, with mortal wounds Russell was shot through the head and expired in a few minutes Sanders was shot in the thigh, and was expected to die before morning

Ratliffe discharged every chamber of his revolver and finding that he had no more ammunition, he coolly stood and watched the writhing of his victims, until the sheriff arrested him and took him to jail.

Rev W. P Ratliffe was the populist nominee against John S Williams, democrat, of Yazoo City, at the election in 1892, but he did not carry a single county in the district.

The following is the article that appeared in the Vindicator, Mr. Ratliffe's paper

A STATEMENT

Mr Jackson says we misrepresented him when we said he voted for Col Nugent in the caucus If it is any gratification to Mr Jackson we will say he voted for Mr Nugent in the joint convention He may have voted for him in the caucus, nobody knows, for that was by secret ballot What we said about the incident was in a spirit of levity, but Mr Jackson seems to make something else out of it We will now give him the opportunity to emphasize that he has the distinction of being the only democrat who voted for a populist for United States senator We reiterate every statement made in our last week's article, save that it all happened in joint convention, which fact only places him in a more ridiculous atitude If there is any consolation in this correction to Mr Jackson, he is welcome to it, but lest he should think that it is subject to comment, we will now call the previous question on the whole concern

[Signed] W P RATLIFFE

The following is Jackson's card, which appeared in the Kusciusko Star:

A CARD

When Andrew Jackson was president, he appointed in this state one John Smith as Indian agent John Smith was detected in some crookedness by the lamented Greenwood Leflore who preferred charges against Smith before the administration without avail The chief, not satisfied, went on to Washington and confronted the president, when this colloquy ensued

"I, Andrew Jackson, president of the United States, know Mr Smith to be an honest man"

The chief drew himself to his full height and with his keen, searching black eyes steadily fixed on the old hero, said "I, Greenwood Leflore, chief of the Choctaw nation, know Mr Smith to be a damned rascal"

It is unnecessary to say the previous question was lost and Dr Smith was removed

In citing the above history, I will add an amendment to future history in Atalla county, to-wit

"I, W P Ratliffe, populite representative from Atalla county in the Mississippi legislature, emphasize that S A Jackson, democratic representative from Atalla county, voted for a populite for the United States senate

"I, S A Jackson, democratic representative from Atalla county in the Mississippi legislature, emphasize that W P Ratliffe, populite representative from Atalla county, is an infernal damned liar."

As to the previous question on the amendment, Ratliffe can make any move he desires

[Signed.] S A JACKSON

Ratliffe was seen in jail last night and asked for a statement, but he refused to talk, further than to say that he shot Jackson in self-defense. Jackson was a prominent merchant of Kusciusko, and was reputed to be a wealthy man. He leaves a widow and several children.

Russell and Sanders, the bystanders who were shot, were farmers. The jail is strongly guarded to prevent Ratliffe being lynched by Jackson's friends.

TALMAGE WILL STICK.

Since the Financial Entanglement Has Been Removed He Will Stay With the Tabernacle.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., March 5.—Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage has again changed his mind in regard to resigning the pastorate of the Brooklyn tabernacle. A few minutes before Mr. Talmage began his sermon at the morning's service yerterday he read a letter in which he announced that in view of the solution of the financial entanglement that has for some time embarrassed the board of trustees, he would retain the pastorate of the tabernacle

Congressional Forecast.

WASHINGTON, March 5.—The senate will wait for the Finance committee to act on the tariff bill, the house will continue to make a show of industry on the appropriation bills to atone for some of its recent bad behavior. This, in brief, is the probable congressional programme for the present week. There will be all sorts of side motions and discussions to fill up vacant intervals.

In the senate Hawaii is the standing dish, and is likely to remain so for some time to come. Senator Caffery, of Louisiana, is one of those who has given notice of an intention to speak on this subject, and there is some curiosity to hear his maiden effort at oratory in the senate. Inasmuch, however, as Mr. Caffery's notice of motion antedated by several days the publication of the testimony taken by Senator Morgan's committee, it is not likely that Senator Caffery's speech will present any novel points, unless he has considerably revised it since his first intention was announced. The unfinished business before the senate is the bill to remove the existing death-trap and to build a new government printing office. The disputes as to sites have hampered the consideration of this measure heretofore and now, by the remarks of Senator Dolph, of Oregon, on Thursday, tariff questions and the whole subject of government expenditures and receipts have been interjected into the debate. It is quite possible that the government printing office bill will be made the medium for a continued tariff discussion under the accommodating rules of the senate, which permit a man, while nominally addressing the senate on one subject, to confine his remarks exclusively to another and entirely different topic. The extreme improbability, as matters now look, that the tariff bill will be in condition to report to the senate the coming week, renders it the more likely that a tariff discussion will be again started by indirection by republican senators before the revised bill reaches the senate for action

It is expected that appropriation bills will hold almost undisputed sway in the house. The general debate on the pension bill will probably close today, and then it will be subject to the limitation of the five-minute rule until passed. This stage of proceedings, Mr. O'Neill, of Massachusetts, who is in charge of the measure, hopes and believes will be reached by Tuesday afternoon at the furthest. Following this bill the district of Columbia appropriation bill will be called up and then the sundry civil bill. Consideration of these two measures will doubtless require all the time at present allotted to the committee on appropriations, but if they should not, there are several other committees entrusted with the preparation of appropriation bills ready to report. The naval bill, the diplomatic and consular bill and the postal bill are all ready. The morning hour every day will see some measure of more or less general interest proposed for action, but the speaker has not been advised of an intention to ask consideration of any particular questions. It would seem from this programme as if the house would find a difficulty in supplying its daily scene of excitement and turmoil, but in the present temper of members so small a spark seems sufficient to start an explosion that an outbreak of some kind is looked for at any time and on any topic

THE SITUATION AT EAGLE.

All Quiet, and the Troops Will Remain to Keep It So.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., March 4.—There is practically no change in the situation at Eagle to-day Fourteen rioters were arrested at Montgomery this morning and taken to the Fayette county jail Ten additional members of Co. K were sent up at 4 p m from this place, ostensibly to assist in extra guard duty, but it is believed that the arrest of strikers will cause trouble and more troops are needed in case of an outbreak. Four more men were sent yesterday from Huntington. The troops will stay on the ground until legal action is taken against the rioters The inquest over Atkins may be concluded to-morrow in spite of the strange spectacle of two coroners fighting for the same body

Resulted in Conviction.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind, March 4.—The first case tried under the election bribery law passed in 1887 resulted in conviction yesterday Knox county furnished the case. A fine of $300 is imposed by the law for an attempt to purchase a vote or to persuade a voter not to cast his ballot The jury was composed of six republicans, four democrats, one populist and one prohibitionist The law was passed with much difficulty

Expelled for Accepting a Bribe.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., March 5.—Councilman J. T L. Burmer was expelled from the city council Saturday night for accepting a bribe to help elect an inspector and sealer of weights and measures There are cases against four other aldermen.

Shut Down Indefinitely.

HAZELTON, Pa., March 4.—Orders were yesterday issued by the Corrs Creek Coal Co, shutting down the Tomhicken colliery for an indefinite period. Four hundred men are affected. Dull coal trade is said to be the cause of the suspension.

McKane's Appeal to be Heard in May.

NEW YORK, March 5.—It is said in Brooklyn that the appeal of John V. McKane from the conviction of the jury and judgment by Justice Bartlett will be heard by the general term of the supreme court at Poughkeepsie in May.

Died.

NEW YORK, March 4.—William H. Osborne, who was for several years president of the Illinois Central Railroad Co., died at his home in this city, 12 Park avenue, yesterday, in his 74th year.

ANNOUNCEMENT!

We will open our New Shoe Store, at 150 Merchant Street, this week, and will exhibit the most stylish and handsome stock of Spring Shoes and Slippers offered to the people of Decatur. Our goods will all be new and the very latest.

Wait until we open.

JOHN P. PHILPOTT,
150 Merchant Street.

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At J. Edward Saxton's Book Store.

I have a large assortment of entirely New Patterns for Fancy Work, and am prepared to do Stamping at short notice.
The ladies are invited to call and see them.

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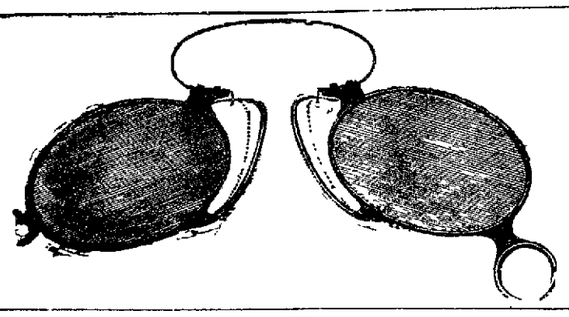

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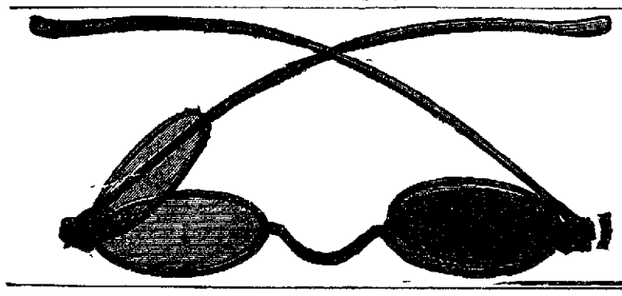

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MEN'S TAN SHOES,

Razor and Square Toes, the newest thing out. They are beauties. Come in and see them.

Don't fail to notice our Cloth Top, Patent Leather, Large Button Shoes. They are just the thing for the boys.

TO THE LADIES:

We are now able to show the ladies some of the Newest Spring Styles in Shoes and Slippers. We have some very handsome Ladies' Congress Shoes with large buttons, square or razor toes. These are positively the newest thing in the market. In Ladies' Tan Oxfords we have all the different shades. LADIES' JULIETS, and in fact everything new.

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ASSESSOR.

WE are authorized to announce SAMUEL T. KEELER as a candidate for the office of Assessor for Decatur township, subject to the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce JOHN W. ALEXANDER as a candidate for Assessor, subject to the action of the Republican township convention. *

WE are authorized to announce RODOLPH THOMAS as a candidate for Assessor, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

TOWN CLERK

WE are authorized to announce CHARLES H DIETZ as a candidate for Town Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican convention. *

WE are authorized to announce HARDIN C. WALLACE as a candidate for Town Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican township convention

WE are authorized to announce JOHN NICHOLLS as a candidate for Town Clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican convention. *

TOWNSHIP COLLECTOR.

WE are authorized to announce E. G. ALLEN as a candidate for Township Collector, subject to the decision of the Republican township convention.

WE are authorized to announce ALBERT S MORGAN as a candidate for Township Collector, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce CHARLES N TWADELL as a candidate for Collector, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce JAMES W REAVIS as a candidate for Collector, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce FRED W WISMER as a candidate for Township Collector subject to the Republican convention. *

WE are authorized to announce JAMES H MONTGOMERY as a candidate for Township Collector, subject to the action of the Republican township convention. *

COMMISSIONER OF HIGHWAYS.

WE are authorized to announce CHARLES M. CALDWELL as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways, subject to the Republican township convention. *

WE are authorized to announce JACOB S. COX as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce JOHN S. JONES as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways, subject the decision of the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce THOMAS L. ANTRIM as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways, subject to the action of the Republican convention. *

A. J. WILLIAMS is hereby announced as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

CITY NEWS.

10 Cents.

For the above price you can buy a beautiful line of pin trays or burnt match receivers in beautiful decorations. Only a limited quantity left at this price.
J. W. RACE, Assignee.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

FINE Toilet Soaps at Dawson's.

CHOCOLATE Ice Cream Soda at Irwin's.

COUGH remedies, all kinds, at Dawsons'

NEW spring goods at Sawyer & McCoy's. feb28-d2t

SMOKE the old reliable K. & W. cigars. mar25dtf

SEE the new style H. & D. Hats at Geo. W. Jones & Co.'s. mar3-dtf

DELICIOUS Ice Cream Soda with pure fruit juices at Irwin's.

SMOKE Golden Keys at Dawson's.

READ change in Race Clothing Manufacturing Co.'s adv regarding Spring Styles in piece goods and Hats. d&w

IRON Phosphate the great nerve tonic drink at Irwin's fountain.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

ALL the novelties in Spring Styles of piece goods now ready for inspection at the Race Clothing M'f'g Co 's. d&w

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25dtf

FINEST and latest styles H. & D. Hats, the correct styles, at Geo W. Jones & Co.'s mar3-dtf

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

CALDWELL'S Syrup Pepsin for constipation and sick headache—10 doses 10 cents. jan4-dtf

JUST RECEIVED—40,000 rolls of new wall paper, spring designs.
LINN & SCRUGGS
mar1-d1w Dry Goods & Carpet Co.

MISS WILDER announces that she will receive a limited number of pupils in china decorating, miniature and water color painting.

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THE Buyers' and Merchants' Benefit Bureau saves you 4 per cent on your entire living expenses. Call upon the manager, L. Chodat and learn how. dec15dtf

PEOPLE with delicate stomachs find Ayer's Sarsaparilla agreeable to the taste, and, therefore, prefer it as a blood-purifier to any other. This is one reason for its great popularity as a spring and family medicine. Safe, certain and palatable.

HOW TO save money without trouble. By going to the Decatur Painting and Decorating Co. and letting them figure on your painting, paper hanging, calcimining, glazing, etc., at astonishingly low figures. mar1-dtf

B. M. DUREE, manager of the Carlinville telephone company—the Harrison system—writes that the phones are giving the people perfect satisfaction, as conversation can be carried on through through these phones with perfect ease by persons whose hearing is so impaired that ordinary conversation with them is difficult.

THE funeral of the late Mrs. John Imboden was held at the First M. E. church this afternoon, in the presence of a very large number of friends, including the W. C. T. U., which attended in a body. Rev. James Miller, of Bloomington, delivered the address, and Rev. D. F. Howe was in charge of the services.

THERE will be a sociable at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Smock, 426 East Main street, Monday evening, March 5, for Myrtle Temple No. 2, Pythian Sisters, and their friends. There will be a charge of 10c for admission.]

THE firm of Wetzell & Co., (Herman Wetzell, Tom Mayer and C. D. Criswell) have started a wall paper store in the Waltz building on North Main street. The gentlemen were lately in business in Paris.

MARRIAGE licenses have been issued to Austin L. Brougher, of Decatur, and to Miss Sarah O. Casey, of Moweaqua, and to William Portwood and Mrs. Margaret Price, both of Macon township.

THE real estate firms during the last sixty days have transferred property to the amount of $51,000, and yet some people continue to talk about hard times.

CHAS. DIETZ has sold a house and lot to Ed. Rinehart, of Tuscola. The property is on East Edmond street, and Dodd & Sanner engineered the sale.

FIRE Sunday night caused considerable damage at the home of Fred Phoenix, on North Main street.

FRED J. SMITH says that all he has to say to his opponents is "Shoo fly, don't bodder me." 1.*

NEXT week the county board will be in session.

PERSONAL MENTION.

W. D. Walter spent Sunday in Lincoln.

Mrs. C E. Dawson has returned from Pana.

Ed. Hord, of Bement, spent Sunday in Decatur.

Peter Brueck was in Sangamon to-day on business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Pollock are visiting relatives in Peru, Ind.

L. J. Goodson was in Blue Mound this morning on business.

Joe Huessing to-day went on duty as a clerk at Charley Tyler's drug store.

John S. Prestley, of the Decatur Furniture company, is in Cincinnati on business.

Will Quinlan, of Chicago, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Quinlan.

Charles T. Pope, of the Wabash car department office, was at Blue Mound over Sunday.

Edward Johnston, of Macon, was the guest of Irs Fleming, on North Water street, Sunday.

S. M. Lutz and wife have returned from Cedar Rapids, Iowa, where they have been visiting.

Mrs. Moore, after a visit with her brother, Capt. Geo. R. Bacon, left Saturday for her home in Arcola.

Miss Blanche Hoit, of Quincy, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Mueller at their home in Millikin Place.

Thos. McTaggart and Harry Wyatt went to Peoria to-day to attend a meeting of the Mystic Shrine.

James Shadrick, of Peoria, until 1881 a clerk at the E. D. Bartholomew store, is in the city visiting friends to-day.

Thomas Quinn and W. C. Johns have returned from Hot Springs, Ark. L. W. Cook and F. D. Caldwell will not return for several days yet.

Mrs. Adelaide C. Foulke and Mrs. J. W. Haworth, representing the Decatur Equal Suffrage association, were at Danville last week attending the convention of the state association. They returned home Sunday morning.

Rev. C. G. Wood has returned from Springfield, where he has been on business for the Harrison Telephone company. A local company has been organized there. Nearly all the stock has been taken and many 'phones have been subscribed for.

President Culver and A. J. Collins, representing the Majestic Manufacturing company, of St. Louis, are in the city on business. They have arranged for an exhibit of the "Majestic" stove at the store of Morehouse, Wells & Co. It is now in progress.

A Card.

Prof. R B. Leonard returns his sincere thanks to all his friends, especially to his dancing classes in Tuscola and Gibson City, for their kind and loving messages to him in his recent temporary indisposition. "One touch of nature makes the whole world kin."

Central Draft.

When you can buy an elegant Central Draft Nickel Plated Lamp for $1.00. You cannot afford to pass it by. J. W. RACE, Assignee of E. D. Bartholomew.

Volunteer Firemen.

There will be a call meeting of the Volunteer Firemen at the court house to-morrow evening. All are invited to be present.

Stenographer.

CALL on Miss Nellie B. Calhoun, at the office of the Columbia Mfg. Co., 114 South Water St., for first class stenographic work. tf

Births.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Smith, of No. 763 West Macon street, on Saturday, March 3—a daughter.

What We Vote For.

The election this fall is known as an election in an off year and yet it is an election of as much importance, both locally and in a national sense, as the elections in presidential years. The country this fall will elect the full lower house of congress. Illinois will elect 22 congressmen. For state officers the people of Illinois will elect a state treasurer and a superintendent of public instruction and several trustees of the University, of Illinois, at Champaign. The districts will each elect one senator and three representatives, and the counties will each elect a treasurer, a sheriff, a county superintendent of schools and a county clerk. In addition to this the election will also affect the election of one-third of the members of the United States Senate, as in Illinois as in some other states, i. e. at the election of two United States Senators, as every state senator elected in Illinois this fall will vote for both the successor to Senators Cullom and Palmer.

These things make the coming election one of great importance and which will call out a full vote. Already there are candidates in the field for many of the offices. On the Republican side Gen. Smith D. Atkins of Freeport and Henry Wulff of Chicago are seeking the nomination for state treasurer, while Prof's. Shawhan of Champaign county and Bennett of Vermilion county, want the nominations for superintendent of public instruction. In the Republican ranks there are no candidates for congress. Being mathematically in a minority district, the prevailing sentiment in the party is that the field should be thoroughly canvassed, and that the most available man be selected and induced to run. This does not mean that the Republicans propose to concede the district to the Democrats, on the contrary they propose to carry the district. The same ratio of change that was made in recent elections in Pennsylvania, Ohio and other northern states, will give this district to the Republicans by a large majority. The same is true of the senatorial district. The Republicans will nominate a senator and two representatives, and with half the success that the party has had in other states will elect all of them. Thus far there are no avowed candidates and the chances are that selections for these offices will be determined by consultation, the same as that of congressman.

It is different however in relation to county officers. Already many persons are either openly candidates or are mentioned by their friends for the Republican nomination for these offices. Among those mentioned for sheriff are Jerry Nicholson, Harry Midkiff, W. M. Ballard, Samuel Holmes, W. W. Mason, and W. J. Magee, of Decatur township, and James T. Wells, of Niantic township.

Among those mentioned for county treasurer are C. H. Patterson, of Elwin; Capt. R. P. Lytle and Major F. L. Hayes, of Decatur.

For county clerk no other name except that of Geo. P. Hardy, the present incumbent, has been mentioned and there may be no other candidate, as Hardy is very strong with the people.

For county superintendent of schools quite a number of bright young men have been mentioned and some of them will be strongly supported by their friends for the nomination. Among these are N. M. Jacobs, formerly of Wheatland township; John G. Keller, of Friends Creek township; John Wicks, of Blue Mound township; Charles Hastings, of Illinois township; J. D. Logan, of Pleasant View township, and Jesse Smith, of Macon township.

Out of this list of gentlemen, and others that may yet become candidates, there will be no trouble for the Republicans to select a first class ticket that will insure victory all along the line.

Casner News.

Mr. R. F. McDonald attended the I. O. O. F. school of instruction in Decatur

Lester Gott has the catarrhal fever.

Miss Nettie Hinsdill has the pneumonia.

Luther Scruggs has hired to John Casner.

W. A. Underwood and family visited his father this week.

Mr. George Carmean is superintending the tiling of some land on his farm.

Our school has a vacation of two weeks

Furniture at Cost.

While I have my stock of furniture on hand, come and make selections at once, before I sell the entire stock. Goods all new and latest styles. Now is your chance. Haworth Block, north side new square. JOHN A. BROWN. 27-d6

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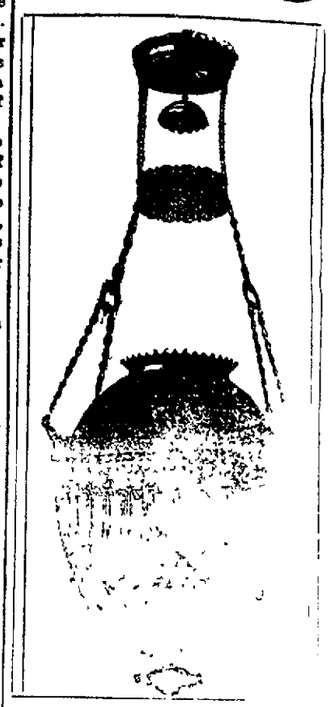

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Library Lamps at $4.00,
Former price, $8.00.

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Library Lamps at $3.50,
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Former price, $6.00.

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Library Lamps at $2.50,
Former price, $5.00.

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